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UNCTAD CALENDAR OF MEETINGS

The present document contains the calendar for the remainder of 1996 and the indicative calendar for 1997, as approved by the Trade and Development Board at its forty-third session. The Board authorized its Bureau to make any adjustments necessary in the light of developments.

It also gives in summary form the overall calendar provisions for consultations of the Secretary-General, consultations of the President of the Board, and other meetings.

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A. Calendar of meetings for the remainder of 1996 [1/]

Meeting	Date
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM-TERM PLAN AND PROGRAMME BUDGET, twenty-eighth session	16-18 September (3 days)
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, forty-third session	7-18 October
COMMISSION ON TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES, AND COMMODITIES, first session	6-8 November (2½ days)
Meeting of Experts on Competition Law and Policy	13-15 November
COMMISSION ON INVESTMENT, TECHNOLOGY AND RELATED FINANCIAL ISSUES, first session	18-22 November
Joint UNCTAD/IMO Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Maritime Liens and Mortgages and Related Subjects	2-6 December
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM-TERM PLAN AND PROGRAMME BUDGET, twenty-eighth session (resumed)	18-19 December (2 days)
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Consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the TDB	As required up to 2 weeks
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Expert Meetings	As required up to 1½ weeks

B. Indicative calendar of meetings for 1997 [1/]

COMMISSION ON ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS FACILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT, first session	20-24 January
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM TERM PLAN AND THE PROGRAMME BUDGET, twenty-ninth session	3-7 February
COMMISSION ON TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES, AND COMMODITIES, first session (resumed)	19-21 February (2½ days)
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD fourteenth executive session	(One day - 1st quarter to be determined)
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development	7-9 April
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	14-16 April
Joint Advisory Group on the International Trade Centre, UNCTAD/WTO [2/]	21-24 April
Commission on Science and Technology for Development, third session	12-16 May
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and related Financial Issues	21-23 May
Meeting of Governmental Experts from Land-locked and Transit Developing Countries and Representatives of Donor Countries and Financial and Development Institutions (GA resolution 50/97)	(June - 3 days New York)
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	16-18 June

B. Indicative calendar of meetings for 1997 (cont'd)

Meeting	Date
Pilot Seminar on the Mobilization of the [3/] Private Sector in order to encourage Foreign Investment Flows towards the LDCS	(end June) t.b.d.)
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues	23-25 July
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD fifteenth executive session	(One day - to be determined)
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	1-3 September
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and related Financial Issues	8-10 September
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM-TERM PLAN AND THE PROGRAMME BUDGET, thirtieth session	15-19 September
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development	22-24 September
COMMISSION ON INVESTMENT, TECHNOLOGY AND RELATED FINANCIAL ISSUES, second session	29 Sept-3 Oct
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, forty-fourth session	13-24 October
COMMISSION ON TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES, AND COMMODITIES, second session	3-7 November
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	17-19 November

B. Indicative calendar of meetings for 1997 (cont'd)

Meeting	Date
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues	24-26 November
COMMISSION ON ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS FACILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT, second session	1-5 December
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD sixteenth executive session	(one day - to be determined)
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Commodity conferences 4/	As required up to 9 weeks
UN Conference on Tropical Timber	2-3 days (to be determined)
Meeting on Natural Rubber	1 day (to be determined)
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Consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the TDB	As required (up to 4 weeks)
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Seminars and study groups	As required up to (9 weeks)

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Notes

1/ Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings will be held in Geneva. All meetings listed are subject to a written notification, which is normally dispatched six weeks before the opening date.

2/ Listed for information only.

3/ Duration of meeting subject to further consultations.

4/ Subject to a request from the relevant commodity body.